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drivers is uniform in the State of Nebraska and that is why we made that requirement in the past so that we know that the drivers on the roads in the State of Nebraska have met the standards that this Legislature established for persons who were going to drive on Nebraska highways. Now with this bill, you are giving away that control and saying that we are no longer concerned about people who spend six to nine to ten months of the year in this state and they don't have to measure up to our standards for driving ability and I don't think that that is the correct way to go about it.

PRESIDENT: The question is, then, shall this bill be indefinitely postponed? Record your vote. Record.

CLERK: 1 aye, 22 nays, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Motion fails. All right. Are you ready for the question? The question is, shall the bill be advanced? Record your vote. Record.

CLERK: 29 ayes, 0 nays.

PRESIDENT: The bill is advanced. LB 667, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: LB 667 introduced by Senator Goodrich. Read title. There are no Committee amendments or other amendments pending.

PRESIDENT: Senator Goodrich.

SENATOR GOODRICH: Mr. President, members of the body, this bill deals...it is a constitutional amendment to be submitted on the ballot dealing with the subject of IDA bonds. IDA bonds are Industrial Development Assistance bonds issued by counties. Now what we are doing in this bill, and I could just read the language and tell you exactly what it is. It is asking the voters to give the Legislature the authority to expand the use of IDA bonds so that they can be suitable for use by commercial and business properties, enterprises, rather. Now, right now, industrial firms can use IDA bonds to fund a new plant. Let's say they are moving into Nebraska or they are already in Nebraska and want to expand their plant or build a new one. They can use IDA bonds. Now commercial and business enterprises cannot. That is all we are asking the voters to give us the authority to expand in legislation after this is passed by the voters the IDA bond function so that they can be used for commercial and business enterprises to build plants. The reason we are asking for that is, frankly, there are two major national companies that were going to come to Nebraska but they found, for example, that the use of IDA bonds could not be done for commercial and business properties as generously, you might say, as some other states. For example, Minnesota, South Dakota, North Dakota, Colorado and Wyoming as well as Kansas has about 15 different categories of things that can be funded with IDA bonds. In Nebraska, we have four categories that can be funded with IDA bonds. I am just asking the voters through this Legislature to